

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2006-212-C – ORDER NO. 2007-43
JANUARY 24, 2007

IN RE: Mamie L. Jackson,)	ORDER GRANTING
)	EXTENSION FOR
Complainant/Petitioner)	TESTIMONY,
)	RESCHEDULING
v.)	HEARING, AND
)	HOLDING REQUEST TO
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.,)	DISMISS IN ABEYANCE
)	
Defendant/Respondent.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the Motion of Mamie L. Jackson, Complainant/Petitioner, (Ms. Jackson) to extend the time to file testimony in the present proceeding and to reschedule the hearing currently scheduled for January 18, 2007, and on the request of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., Defendant/Respondent, (BellSouth) to dismiss complaint or in the alternative, hold docket in abeyance. The present docket was established upon the filing of a complaint by Ms. Jackson on July 27, 2006, against BellSouth.

The dates for filing testimony and exhibits in the proceeding were set forth in a letter, dated September 25, 2006, from the Commission's Docketing Department. By this letter, Ms. Jackson was required to file direct testimony and exhibits on or before December 7, 2006. Additionally, the Commission's Docketing Department issued a

Notice of Hearing wherein the hearing on the complaint proceeding is scheduled to be held January 18, 2007.

On December 15, 2006, BellSouth filed with the Commission a request to dismiss Ms. Jackson's complaint, or in the alternative, to hold the proceeding in abeyance. The request to dismiss will be held in abeyance at this time.

On January 2, 2007, Ms. Jackson filed a motion seeking approval to extend the time to file direct testimony and exhibits and to reschedule the date of the hearing. Ms. Jackson asserts that she has been unable to meet the deadlines set forth due to personal and business reasons.

We have examined the motion of Ms. Jackson and have concluded that this request to extend the date for filing testimony and exhibits and to reschedule the date of the hearing in this proceeding should be granted.


IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The motion of Mamie L. Jackson to extend the prefiling deadlines for filing testimony and exhibits and to reschedule the date of the hearing is hereby granted. The original hearing scheduled for January 18, 2007, is hereby rescheduled to be held on March 8, 2007. The Commission's Docketing Department shall establish new prefiling dates accordingly.

2. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s request to dismiss complaint is hereby held in abeyance.

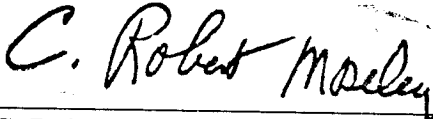
3. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



G. O'Neal Hamilton, Chairman

ATTEST:



C. Robert Moseley, Vice Chairman

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